

Agenda

Friday November 10th

8:00am – 8:30am Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:30-10:00

- **Introduction**
- **Overview**
 - **What is it?**
 - **What does it do?**
 - **Why use it?**
 - **The written symbols**
 - **Advantages**
 - **Vary perspectives-educational, functional, practical**

10:00-10:15 Break

10:15-11:45 Presentation of the STS/VP system (hand cues and written symbols)

- **Consonant hand cues and written symbols**
- **Vowel hand cues and written symbols**
- **Rules of blending**

11:45-12:30 Lunch (provided)

12:30-2:00pm Review of STS/VP system

- **Review of sounds: alphabet cards**
- **Small group practice session**
- **Drill sheet**

2:00-2:15pm Break

2:15-4:00pm Review of STS/VP system

- **Group games for production/practice**

Saturday November 11th

8:00-8:30 Continental Breakfast

8:30-9:15 Implications of Research/literature

9:15-10:00 Application

- **Assessment**
- **Using Visual Phonics with younger students**

10:00-10:15 Break

10:15-11:30 Application Continued

- **Using visual Phonics with older students**
- **Strategies**

11:30-12:15 Lunch (provided)

12:15-1:30 Skill Reinforcement

- **Homework review**

- **Group Practice**
- **Presentations from local users of Visual Phonics**

1:30-1:45 Break

1:45-3:00 Putting it all together

- **Material sharing**
- **Videotape (selected participants will be videotaped as they produce the Visual Phonics system; copy of video to be provided to all participants)**
- **Q&A**